

BEFORE THE  
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

COMPETITIVE PRODUCT PRICES  
PRIORITY MAIL CONTRACT 29 (MC2011-3)  
NEGOTIATED SERVICE AGREEMENT

Docket No. CP2011-4

**NOTICE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OF  
AMENDMENT TO PRIORITY MAIL CONTRACT 29,  
WITH PORTIONS FILED UNDER SEAL**

(December 9, 2013)

The Postal Service hereby provides notice that the terms of Priority Mail Contract 29, in the above-captioned proceeding, have changed as contemplated by the contract's terms. A redacted version of the amendment to Priority Mail Contract 29 is provided in Attachment A, and the unredacted amendment is being filed under seal. The amendment will become effective on the day that the Commission completes its review of this filing.

This amendment will not materially affect the cost coverage of Priority Mail Contract 29. Therefore, the supporting financial documentation and financial certification initially provided in this docket remain applicable. The Postal Service hereby incorporates by reference the Application for Non-Public Treatment originally filed in this docket, for the protection of the customer-identifying information that has been filed under seal.

Respectfully submitted,

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

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**ATTACHMENT A**

**REDACTED AMENDMENT TO PRIORITY MAIL CONTRACT 29**

**AMENDMENT OF  
SHIPPING SERVICES CONTRACT  
BETWEEN  
THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE  
AND**

**REGARDING PRIORITY MAIL SERVICE**

WHEREAS, the United States Postal Service ("the Postal Service") and [REDACTED] ("Customer") entered into a shipping services contract regarding Priority Mail service on October 29, 2010.

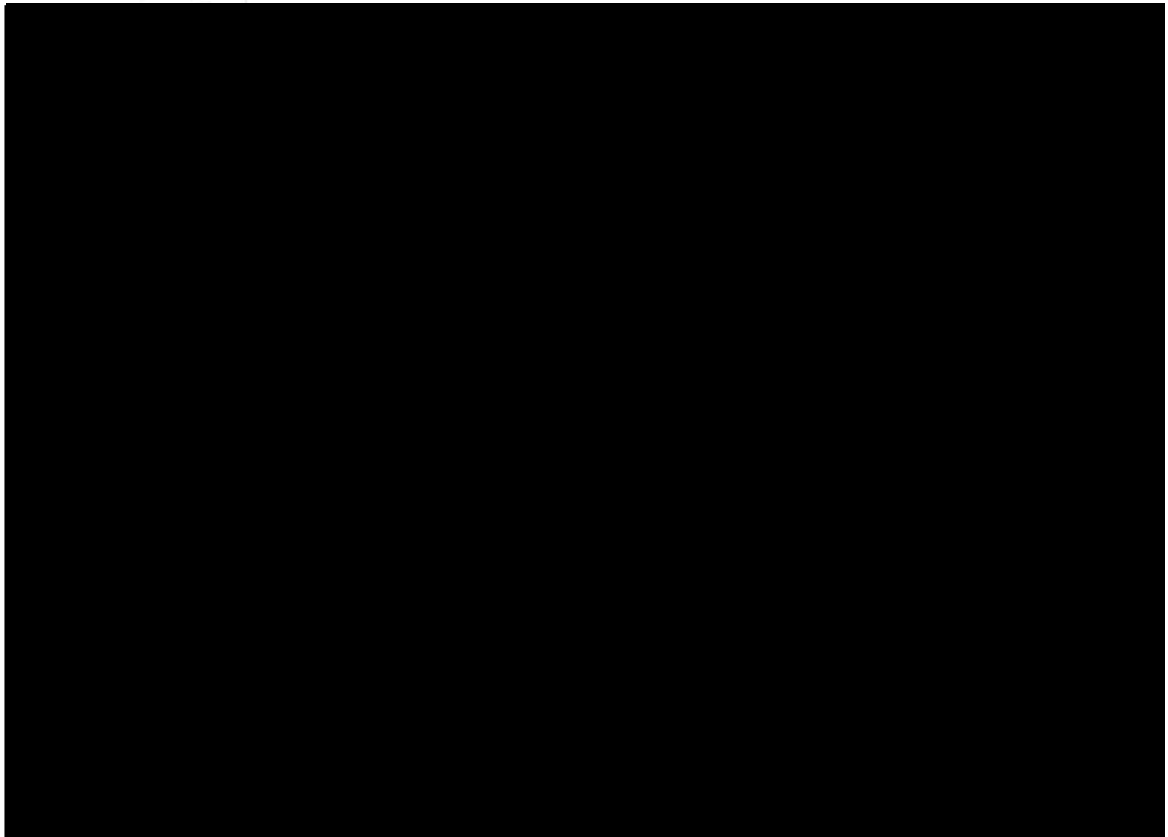
WHEREAS, the Parties desire to amend the terms in Section I.H, Customer's annual adjustment of prices, in its entirety, as well as Section III, Expiration Date and Termination, in its entirety.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Parties agree that the contract is hereby amended as detailed below. The existing contract remains unchanged in all other respects. This amendment shall become effective one business day following the day on which the Commission issues all necessary regulatory approval.

**I. H. Annual Adjustment**

1. For the second year of the contract, beginning on the first anniversary of the contract's effective date, customized prices under this contract will be the first year's prices set forth in Paragraph G, plus the most recent (as of the anniversary date) average increase in prices of general applicability, as calculated by the Postal Service, for Priority Mail Retail.
2. For the third year of the contract, beginning on the second anniversary of the contract's effective date, customized prices under this contract will be the second year's prices plus the most recent (as of the anniversary date) average increase in prices of general applicability, as calculated by the Postal Service, for Priority Mail Retail.
3. For the fourth year of the contract, beginning on the third anniversary of the contract's effective date, customized prices under this contract will be the third year's prices plus the most recent (as of the anniversary date) average increase in prices of general applicability, as calculated by the Postal Service, for Priority Mail Commercial Plus.

Fourth year prices:



4. For the fifth year of the contract, beginning on the fourth anniversary of the contract's effective date, customized prices under this contract will be the fourth year's prices plus the most recent (as of the anniversary date) average increase in prices of general applicability, as calculated by the Postal Service, for Priority Mail Commercial Plus.
5. Customized prices for years two (2) through five (5) will be calculated by the Postal Service and rounded up to the nearest whole cent. If the Postal Service maintains or decreases published rates of applicability for Priority Mail Commercial Plus, there shall be no change to contract pricing for that Contract Year.

### III. Expiration Date and Termination

This contract shall expire five (5) years from the effective date, unless (1) terminated by either Party with 30 days notice to the other Party in writing, (2) renewed by mutual agreement in writing, (3) superseded by a subsequent contract between the Parties, (4) ordered by the Commission or a court, or (5) required to comply with subsequently enacted legislation.

At the conclusion of this contract term both parties agree if preparation of a successor NSA is active, the NSA will be extended for up to two (2) ninety (90) day periods with official notification to the Commission within at least seven (7) days of the expiration date of the contract. Upon both parties agreement of the extension, the escalation clause will be implemented in Terms 1.H, throughout the extension period.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this contract to be duly executed as of the later date below:

**UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE**

Signed by: 

Printed Name: CLIFF RUCKER

Title: VP SALES

Date: 10/30/13

